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Sir:

The issue fee was paid on December 19, 2006. An Issue Notification indicates that the application is intended to issue into a patent on February 6, 2007. This petition is accompanied by a Request For Continued Examination (RCE) in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.313(c)(2).

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The USPTO is requested to withdraw the patent application from issue to allow the examiner the opportunity to enter the IDS and consider the references cited therein.

Should any unresolved issue remain, the USPTO is invited to call applicant's attorney at the telephone number indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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